



ONE OF THE WHITE SAPOTES OF CENTRAL AMERICA. (CASIMIROA
TETRAMERIA MILLSP.; S. P. I. No. 55445.)

The common white sapote (*Casimiroa edulis*) has been cultivated in California for many years. The species here shown, *C. tetrameria*, is of more recent introduction and has not yet become well known in this country. At Miami, Fla., it grows lustily and produces in great abundance yellow-green fruits, whose pale yellow flesh is of very sweet flavor with a bitter tang. *Casimiroa tetrameria* can be distinguished from *C. edulis* by its more pubescent leaves. The fruits of the two species are almost identical in character. (Photographed by Edward Simmonds, Plant Introduction Garden, Miami, Fla., October, 1921; P2793FS.)